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<u>Drivers</u> From an Economic Development Standpoint

- Economy Forest Industries
- Mandates Europe- creating jobs in the US
- Environment It's cleaner
- Energy Security Supply disruptions, Middle East





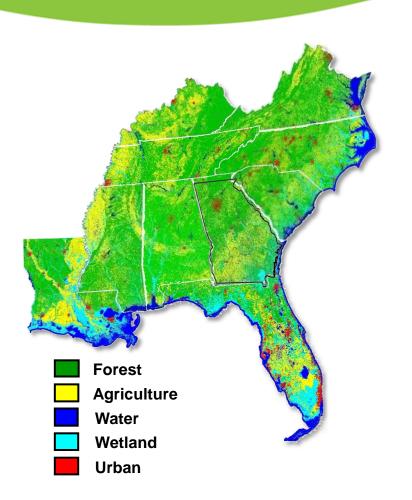


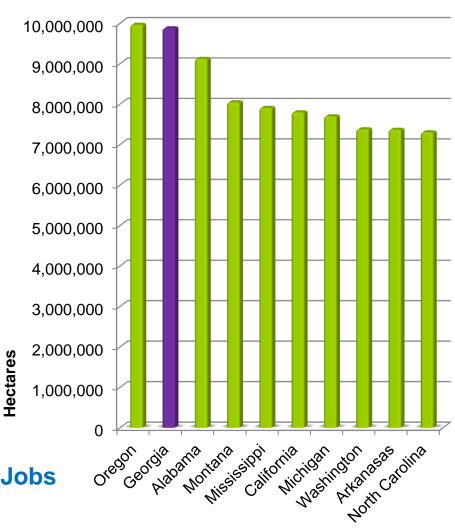












Southeast Forestry = Biomass Energy = Jobs















Georgia Wood Removals

- 1995 51.4 million green tonsharvested
- 2009 39.2 million green tonsharvested

12.2 million green tons to get back to where we were...







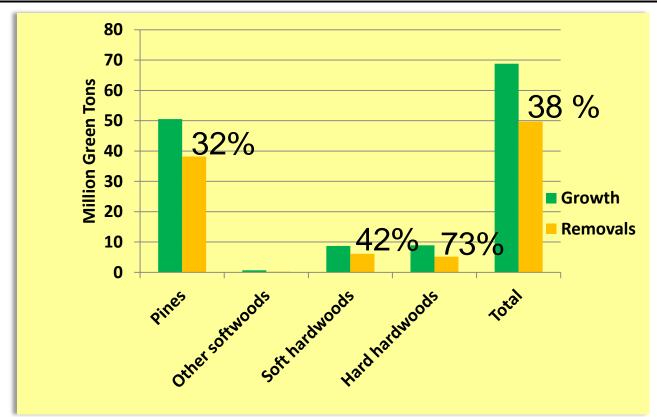








Growth and Removals of Merchantable Trees



Between 1998 and 2008 the growth of growing stock on timberland in the state has exceeded removals by an **average of 38.5**% annually or 546,086,970 cubic feet per year







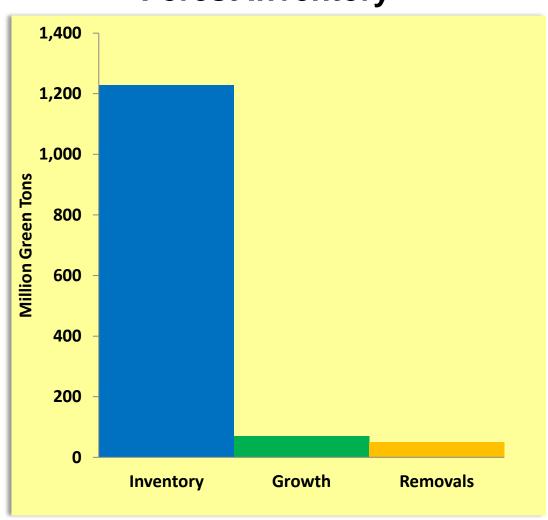








Forest Inventory









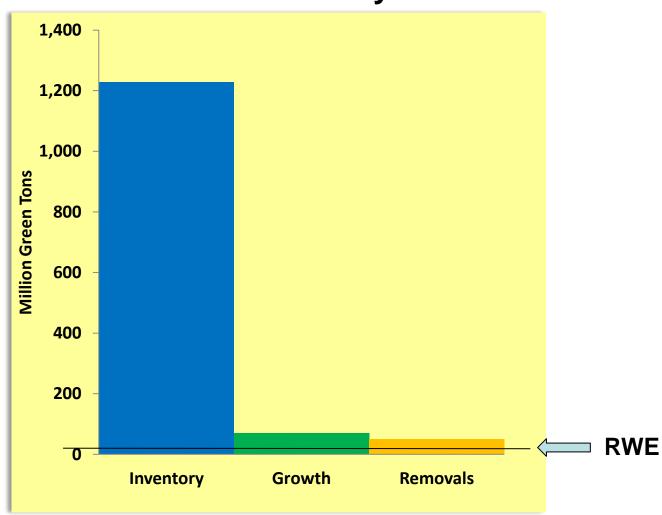








Forest Inventory

















Giant Miscanthus

- ·Herbaceous, Deciduous, Perennial
- Rhizomes rather than seed
- 11 25 Dry tons/acre/year
- Height up to 15 feet
- Low environmental inputs
- Alternative non-food use for marginal Land
- Drought tolerant, crowds out weeds
- Carbon neutral















101 in Economic Development

- 1. Don't trash the other guy, too much.
- 2. Don't throw out high numbers.
- 3. Don't throw out low numbers.
- 4. Don't tell me your going to give 30% of the profits to poor children.
- 5. Don't tell me you have all the money you need and aren't looking for anything from the Feds, State County, or City















Yesterday...

















GOVERNMENT COMMON SENSE















One Stop Shop



- Forumfor new and expanding businesses
- Venue to explain state & federal policies and procedures
- We work to Expedite the permittingprocess
- Matchmakingto form successful collaborations















Georgia Offices

- Center of Innovation
- Governor's Office
- Agriculture
- Natural Resources
- Revenue
- Environmental Protection Agency
- Community Affairs
- Economic Development
- Herty Advanced Materials Development Center
- State Fire Marshall

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Federal Offices

- Forestry Commission
- Department of Agriculture

Universities

- University of Georgia
- Georgia Institute of Technology















Announced Bioenergy Projects by State

State	Projects
GA	37
CA	34
FL, OR, PA	18
ME, MI, VA, WI	17
NY	16

Source: Forisk Consulting, LLC















Sister Jill's Crystal Ball



Ethanol







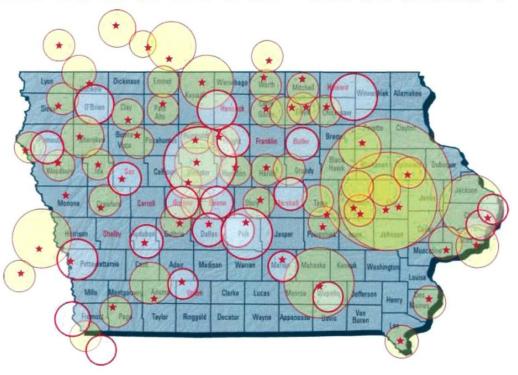








2002-2008: What Happened in Iowa in re: Biofuels?



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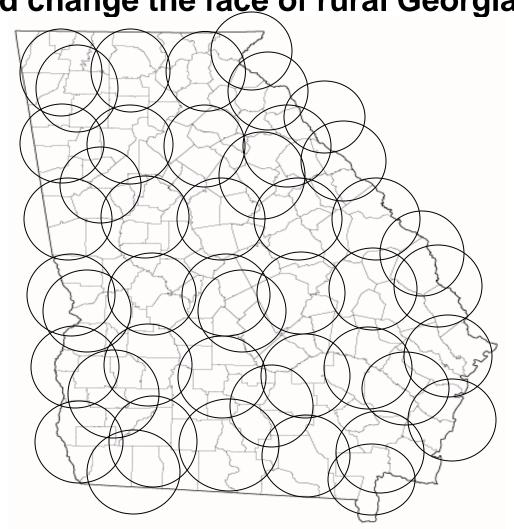






Bio based fuels could change the face of rural Georgia

The State has sufficient biomass to support the development of over 45 major biomass investments of greater than \$100 Million each.









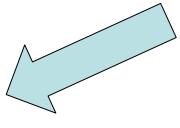


























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